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November 2-8, 2023



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**Cheer on the Orange and Blue as Gators Football Takes on Arkansas
Saturday, November 4, 12 p.m. | Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
157 Gale Lernerand Dr., Gainesville, FL 32611**

For the first time ever, the Florida Gators wear special black uniforms during this year's "Saluting Those Who Serve" game. Arrive early for pre-game festivities including Gators Fan Fest and Gator Walk. Find game day details including parking, mobile ticketing and more at FloridaGators.com.

Photo by Matt Stamey

**Before the Big Game, Join the Official Block Party of the Florida Gators at
Chomp The Block**

**Friday, November 3, 6 p.m. - 10 p.m. | Celebration Pointe
4949 Celebration Pointe Ave., Gainesville, FL 32608**

Celebration Pointe hosts the orange and blue party with food, drinks and live music. Kids can enjoy activities in the entertainment zone with bounce houses, balloon animals, face painting and more.

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**Sip and Shop While Browsing More than 40 Vendors at the Sycamore Lane
Fall Market**

**Friday, November 3, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m., Saturday, November 4, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
3824 SW 170th St., Archer, FL 32618**

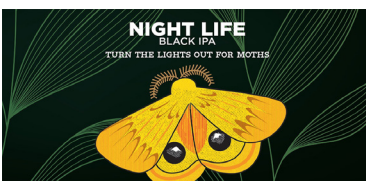
Make a trip to the seasonal outdoor market. Shop over 40 vendors offering vintage goods, arts and clothing. Sip and shop with beer, wine and ciders. Friday night, enjoy live music with Faster Than Flash starting at 5 p.m.

**Meet Farmers and Home-Grown Food Producers at the Food and
Agriculture Festival**

Saturday, November 4, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Cade Museum for Creativity and Invention | 821 S Main St., Gainesville, FL 32601

Stroll around the Cade Museum and discover food grown in the State of Florida. Learn from food producers and enjoy food trucks, games, vendors and live music. Admission is free.



**Raise a Glass to Butterfly Conservation at the Beer Launch of Night Life Black IPA
Friday, November 3, 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. | First Magnitude Brewing Company
1220 SE Veitch St., Gainesville, FL 32601**

The Florida Museum and First Magnitude Brewing Co. invite you to a fun event in support of butterfly conservation in Florida. Hop lovers will get to embrace the "darkness" with the release of "Night Life Black IPA," highlighting nocturnal insects like Io and luna moths. The first 100 customers to purchase a Night Life Black IPA will receive a Hammock Snakeroot or Manyflower Beardtongue plant with their purchase.



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Bare Witness to an Unfolding Mystery with the Final Weekend of the Musical Thriller - Sweeney Todd the Demon Barber of Fleet Street
Now through Sunday, November 5 | Acrosstown Repertory Theatre
3501 SW 2nd Ave. STE O, Gainesville, FL 32607

Sit on the edge of your seat for a suspenseful tale of crime and revenge. Barber Sweeney Todd returns to London to uncover the past, along the way meeting pie shop owner Mrs. Nellie Lovett, and begins a life of crime. Content contains adult themes.



The Hits Keep Coming as 8-Track Sounds of the '70s Weaves the Catchy Tunes of a One-of-a-Kind Decade with the Narrative of a Transformative Period in American History

Thursday, November 3 - Sunday, November 5 | Star Center Theatre
11 NE 23rd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32609

With its propulsive rhythms and dazzling harmonies, "8-Track" is a fast-paced musical romp through one of the most impassioned decades of the 20th century. This Baby Boomers' dream come true features the music of The Emotions, The Carpenters, Labelle, Barry Manilow, Marvin Gaye, The Doobie Brothers, The Bee Gees, Helen Reddy, KC and the Sunshine Band and more.



Greet the Day on a Ranger-Led Sunrise Walk at Sweetwater Wetlands Park
Saturday, November 4, 7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. | Sweetwater Wetlands Park
325 SW Williston Rd., Gainesville, FL 32641

Spot wildlife with park rangers on a morning walk. Learn about the park's history and its inhabitants. Sunrise walks begin at the boardwalk pavilion and last 30-45 minutes. Register for the tour online.



See What's in Bloom on a Guided Tour at Kanapaha Botanical Gardens
Saturday, November 4, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. | Kanapaha Botanical Gardens
4700 SW Archer Rd., Gainesville, FL 32608

See colorful displays across 24 major collections including the largest herb garden in the Southeast, the largest public display of bamboo in Florida, Children's Garden and more. Plan your visit online.



Start Your Week on the Right Note with the Grammy Award-Winning Steep Canyon Rangers
Monday, November 6, 7:30 p.m. | UF Phillips Center
3201 Hull Rd., Gainesville, FL 32611

Steep Canyon Rangers built a loyal following with their modern interpretations of old time and bluegrass music in addition to collaborations with comedian, actor and musician Steve Martin. The band recently set off on a nation-wide tour in support of their new album Morning Shift.

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